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HORRIBLE CRIME OF DEGENERATE FATHER.

John Ely Arrested for the Murder of His Wife.

His Daughter, Anna, Makes Complete Confession Telling Blood Curdling Story...Butcher Knife Was Weapon Used.

One week ago last Wednesday night Louisville was the scene of the most brutal and mysterious murder, which has come to light in our State for many a day. While asleep in bed with her babe and four year old boy, Mrs. John Ely had her throat cut from ear to ear, and died in a few moments, without being able to give any clue to her assailant. A fourteen year old girl was asleep on a bed in the same room, and her husband and another girl, seven years old, occupied the adjoining room. The entire police and detective forces of the city have worked incessantly on the case, which seemed, for a time, to baffle all human agencies so completely that the murderer e'erred in his tracks.

Ely stood the ordeal of severe and rigid examination, and his grief seemed real beyond question. The little daughter, Anna, who slept in the same room with her mother, and who it seemed might throw some light on the strange tragedy, where no motive could be found, disclaimed any knowledge of the murderer of her parent, and told the same story repeatedly. She exonerated her father completely. At the funeral, and at the grave John Ely manifested, seemingly, the most genuine grief.

The fact that Ely was partly dressed, when he notified his neighbors of the killing, and the finding of a water bucket with blood in it, gave the police the first clue, and pointed to some one in the house as the guilty one. It was thought best to take the little girl from under the influence of her father. This was done in the belief that she had not told all she knew about the horrible affair. Mrs. Hayman, the jail matron took charge of the little girl Monday evening, and kept her in seclusion, treating her with the greatest kindness. Wednesday she sent for Chief Gunther, and in the presence of Judge Wilson, Mrs. Hayman, and the detectives she told the following revolting story:

"I was lying on my couch with cover almost up to my eyes. I wasn't asleep, and saw my papa come through the room and go to the kitchen. He came back with the things in his hand and went to mother's bed. He looked like he was going to love mother.

"He took hold by the knot of mother's hair and struck her twice. The first time he struck mother, she closed her eyes, oh, so hard. Then he took the knife in his hand and drew it across her throat. Papa then went back into the kitchen, and I guess he wiped the knife off on one of mama's aprons. He left the apron on the floor and put the knife back, I guess."

Report cards were handed out yesterday.

Students who led their classes under Prof. Gray for the first quarter, were: In zoology, J. W. Marks, Pearl Thomas, Ross Bennett. They all made 97 per cent.; in arithmetic, Irene Miller, 98 per cent; in geology, Ross Bennett, 85 per cent; in algebra, Roy Bennett and Raymer Tinsley, 95 per cent. each; in physical geography, Sadie Henry, 97 per cent.; in moral philosophy, Mary Keown, 95 per cent; in spelling, Etta Myrl Taylor, 97 per cent.

The remainder of the leaders will be given next week. The teachers say that all students have done exceedingly well for this quarter.

Licensed Auctioneer.

Squire W. Tichenor, of Point Pleasant, Ky., licensed auctioneer for Ohio county. Cumberland 'phone.

CABINET CHANGES.

Many New Faces to be Seen After January 1st.

President Sets a New Precedent in Going to Panama During Term.

BIG REFUND TO TREASURY.

[Special to THE REPUBLICAN.]

Washington, D. C., Nov. 10.—There has been such a shake up in both Cabinet and Diplomatic circles in the past few weeks, that when society reassembles for the winter season, it will be almost impossible to know "where it is at" or to recognize Washington in view of all of the changes that have been made. The Cabinet changes that were stated from the White House a week or more ago have now been succeeded by the announcement that Secretary Hitchcock will retire, Attorney General Moody will be given a place on the Supreme Bench vice-Associate Justice Brown, and that "Jinny" Garfield will enter the Cabinet as the Secretary of the Interior.

In addition to this, Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the British Ambassador, will retire. His successor has not yet been named, but during the interim a new Councilor of Embassy will be appointed in the person of E. W. Howard, until recently British Consul General at Crete. The chances are that the British Ambassador will be succeeded by Lord Curzon, whose wife, Miss Mary Leiter, of Washington, died only a few weeks ago.

President Roosevelt's departure for Panama marks the first occasion on which a President of the United States has gone off our mainland during his term of office. Technically Panama is not out side of the United States, but the President will leave the shelter of the American flag during one portion of his trip when he dines with the President of the Republic of Panama. He is now on his way to the Canal Zone aboard the battleship Louisiana. She is convoyed by the cruisers Tennessee and Washington, who will remain in her company during the whole of the sea trip. The party go south through the Old Panama Passage, between Hayti and Cuba, arriving at Colon, on the North side of the Isthmus, November 15th. They will spend three days inspecting the Canal Zone, and leaving there on the 18th, will return to the United States by way of Porto Rico, stopping for a look at San Juan. They will leave there on November 23rd, and are due back in Washington on the 27th. Every arrangement has been made on board the Louisiana for the President's personal comfort and the battleship will be in wireless communication with some one of the American wireless stations during the whole of her cruise. These messages will be relayed to Washington so that the President will be kept constantly in touch with the White House. Secretary Root will act for him in official capacity while he is gone.

One the most remarkable refunds that has ever been made to the United States Treasury came in the shape of a check this week from Representative Pollard, of Nebraska, who was made an ad interim appointee to Congress and who has just been re-elected. He was given a salary check for \$1,861.61, a time when he had not been serving and as some question had been raised during his campaign for re-election over his right to this money he promptly turned it in to the Treasury and thereby secured at least \$100,000 worth of advertising at the expense of \$1,861.61 worth of salary.

The joke of it is that now the Government has received the money back, it does not know what to do with it because the action is entirely unprecedented, and there is a ques-

tion as to what fund it should be deposited.

Murderer of Young Mauzy Not Apprehended.

Mr. W. H. Mauzy returned last Friday from Beulah, Miss., where he had been called by the sad death of his son Herman. He reports that his son was shot by the negro without provocation. It was a cold-blooded murder, the young man having had no previous difficulty with the negro whatever. The wound was in his side, made by shotgun at close range, and was a horrible one, but young Mauzy lived four hours. The negro made his escape, and no trace of him has been discovered. Mr. Mauzy has appealed to the Governor of Mississippi to offer a reward for his son's murderer, and it is hoped he may yet be apprehended and brought to justice.

BRIDGE CONTRACTS.

Eight Bidders Contest for Ohio County Work --- Champion Bridge Co. Successful.

Bids were opened at the office of County Judge Taylor last Monday, by the County Commissioners, for the construction of an iron bridge across Adams Fork Creek above Dundee, 85 feet long, and one over Haney Creek below Heflin, 45 feet long. There were eight bids returned, representing almost all the bridge construction companies in the United States. The bids were put in sealed, and opened in public.

The Champion Bridge Co., of Ohio, was successful in each award. The job at Haney Creek was sublet to the Eigerman Construction Co., of Owensboro. The bridge at Adams Fork will cost the county \$1,700, and the one at Haney Creek \$800.

There is no doubt but that the county was saved a large amount of money in the two contracts by the public advertising and sealed bid plan.

Lodge Notes.

Rough River Lodge K. of P.'s, had work in the first rank Tuesday night and will have work in the first and second ranks next Tuesday evening. The members are urged to attend and make the work a success. Some time during the game season a quail supper will be given, to which the ladies will be invited.

The members of the Masonic Blue Lodge are beginning to revive the talk of a new hall, which all agree is badly needed.

Key Stone Chapter No. 110 meets Saturday night in regular convention. A number of applications are to be voted upon, and a full meeting is desired. The Chapter is preparing to do good work this winter. W. N. Stevens is the High Priest and French Vickers the accomplished Secretary.

The Local Macabees Lodge has initiated a candidate at each meeting for the last two weeks. This lodge is in a healthy condition, and doing good work. R. H. Gillespie is Commander and D. E. Thomas Record Keeper. Another turkey supper will be a feature in the near future.

The local Hive Ladies of Macabees, under the leadership of Mrs. Z. Wayne Griffin, Commander, is in a thriving condition. They have initiated five or six new members in the last six weeks. After the regular meeting, last Friday evening, the members were entertained at an elegant luncheon given by Mrs. Ernest Brkhead and Mrs. Hooker Williams. This lodge meets every two weeks. Miss Sue Yeiser is Keeper of Records.

Return Thanks.

We take this method of thanking the people of Hartford for the kindness and sympathy shown to us during our sad bereavement—the death of our boy, so far from home. Also to thank those at the scene of the tragedy for their prompt and kind ministrations. May heaven's choicest blessings be on all, and may they never be called upon to bear such a sorrow as ours.

W. H. MAUZY.

MRS. W. H. MAUZY.

FACTORIES DESTROYED.

Raiders Burn One and Dynamite Another.

Great Excitement Prevails and a Close Search is Being Made to Find the Guilty.

to attend a meeting of the State Capitol Commission at Frankfort Tuesday on the ground that he did not approve the contract.

Ex-Chairman Odell soundly criticises the management of the New York campaign, from a Republican stand point. He says the policy of the State Committee was the most "Asinine" he ever saw.

Farmers of Fayette county have formed a plan for the erection of a large elevator and flour mill, to be independent of any millers' association and to be operated in the interests of the farmers only.

The Pennsylvania railroad company has given a 10 per cent. raise in salaries to all employees who receive less than \$200 per month. The increase affects all lines controlled by this system, and will make glad at least 20,000 men. The increase for the year will total \$1,274,628.

SUDDEN DEATH

Of Ernest Crowe, a Prominent Citizen of McLean County.

(Owensboro Messenger.) Ernest Crowe, a prominent citizen of McLean county, died of typhoid fever at the home of his father, Dr. A. W. Crowe, at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday morning after a three weeks' illness. His death was unexpected and heart trouble is thought to have been the immediate cause.

Mr. Crowe was considered to be much better during the past few days and his death came as a shock to his family. He was twenty-nine years old on October 17. He is survived by a widow and one daughter, his parents, a brother, Frank Crowe, of Evansville, and a sister, Mrs. Chas. Montgomery. The deceased was well known in McLean county, and belonged to one of the most prominent families in the county.

RENDER.

Nov. 13.—Messrs. Simon Stephens and nephew, Baize, were in Hartford last Wednesday.

Simon Jones was in Central City on legal business last Wednesday.

Ed Barrass, Sr., of Bevier, was here Tuesday.

Rosco Davis, of Leitchfield, was here Tuesday.

Le Roy Brown, of Central City, was here last Friday.

Dr. J. O. McKinney, of Taylor Mines, was here last Friday.

W. C. Schlemmer, of Hartford, was here last Friday.

Marion Tipton, of Rochester, was here last Saturday.

John H. Barnes and Claud McKenney, of Beaver Dam, were here on business last Saturday.

Mrs. L. Francis was in Mercer Station last Sunday.

Geo. Edwards spent the day in Hartford last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson and family, of Beaver Dam, spent the day with Rev. and Mrs. N. C. Robinson last Sunday.

John S. Spence went to Nashville, Tenn., on legal business yesterday.

Dr. H. B. Innes was in Hartford Wednesday.

Misses Madge Engleby and Nellie Harris were shopping in Beaver Dam today.

Mrs. R. C. Chapman, of Herrin, Ill., was the guest of Mrs. Val T. Cool today.

S. S. Hoover, of New Albany, Ind., was here today.

Claud D. Shields, of Indiana, Pa., is here at this writing, representing the Punxsutawney Drilling & Contract Co., of Punxsutawney, Pa.

They are here boring for coal for the C. C. & I. Co., which is likely to have another opening before long.

Important Notice.

We have added a stock of building material, such as Sash, Doors, Columns, Moulding, Etc., Yellow Pine Flooring, Ceiling Metal, Paroid and Paper Roofing, in short, anything you may need in the building line. We will saw your logs and plane your lumber. Call and see us.

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DISTRICT MEETING

Of Tobacco Growers Held In Owensboro Saturday.

S. B. Lee Made Secretary of District Executive Committee.

[Owensboro Inquirer.]

Representatives of the five counties in the Green River District Tobacco Growers' Association met in the county court room on Saturday afternoon, in response to the call of President John Cullen, of Livermore. There was a misunderstanding as to what body was called together and no action was taken by the meeting presided over by Mr. Cullen. About twenty representatives of locals were present, but chiefly from Ohio, Hancock and McLean counties. Hancock county was represented by County President John E. Minnett, Organizer J. Y. B. Lott, Grader, Robert Wright and Horace Smith and Sam Baker; Ohio by State President Dave Moreland, John P. Foster and several others; McLean by E. B. McEuen, John Cullen and Walter Atherton, and Daviess by S. B. Lee and T. S. Coke.

National Secretary C. H. Taylor was present and made a talk to the representatives present, giving a sketch of his connection with the tobacco organization. He recognized the fact that there were enough speakers of ability there already. It was one of the virtues of Kentuckians to have something to say and to say it well. This was shown at the recent A. S. of E. meeting at St. Louis, when Mr. Sharp, of Ohio county, of all delegates present from several states, was the only one to receive even a two-inch notice in the St. Louis papers. He said he was here to work with his pen. He was here as the servant of the organizations and wanted to be used as such by them.

This is one of the best district organizations in the country and the Burley district is organizing rapidly and will, probably, soon be the most important because it is the largest.

Good for everything a salve is used for and especially recommended for piles. That is what we say of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. On the market for years and a standby in thousands of families. Get DeWitt's. Sold by all druggists.

Advance in Wages.

[Daily Democrat.]

The increase which has been ordered in the wages of the employees of the Pennsylvania and the Reading railroads is one of the many manifestations of Republican prosperity. On December 1 the increase will be effective. Over 175,000 persons will profit by it. The advance is voluntary. All the big railroads in the country are doing a larger business than ever before. The Pennsylvania and the Reading think that this is a good time for them to give their employees a new share in the prosperity.

We hear much about the increase in the cost of living, which has taken place in the past few years. The increase has been marked in many lines. But wages, for the majority of workers, have advanced to a greater degree than prices of food and clothing. This has been especially true, not only in the lower priced workers on farms and in manual labor of all sorts, but it has been true of the most of the mechanical trades. This is why the great bulk of the workers of the country cling to the Republican party. It shows why a large majority of them will vote the Republican ticket in 1908.

The farmer, the cattle raiser, the cotton grower, the miner and the rest of the producers of the country, are getting far more for the things which they sell than they did ten or twelve years ago. They know that this change has been one of the results of the efficient control of the Government. On this account they will continue to vote the Republican ticket, so long as the Republican party adheres to its beneficial policies, advancing the interests of the producer and consumer its tenure of office can be assured. As this has been the policy of the Republican party from the beginning, there is no real reason to suppose that it will last. Under Republican sway the United States has advanced more in the past forty years than it did in all its previous life as a nation, and immensely more than any other country has advanced.

ed in twice that duration. With the workers of the country on its side, Republican victory in 1908 is as certain as any political event of the future can be.

Here is our condensed opinion of the Original Laxative Cough Syrup: "Nearly all other cough syrups are constipating especially those containing opiates. Kennedy's Laxative (containing) Honey and Tar moves the bowels. Contains no opiates. Conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by all druggists."

Mystic Letters in Lawsuit.

A recent special dispatch from Baltimore contained the following: "A problem which came up for solution in the circuit court at Townson to-day, where Miss Susan B. Wheeler is trying to establish a claim to \$25,000 because Edward B. Waltz failed to fulfill an alleged promise of marriage, was the meaning of the mysterious letters. 'C. Y. S. K.' which appeared in several letters from Waltz, which were in evidence.

"Osborne I. Yellott, counsel for Waltz, asked Miss Wheeler to explain the meaning of the letters. She refused. The court asked her too. Again she refused. 'It is a secret among young girls,' coyly replied Miss Wheeler. 'I will not tell you.'

"Judge Hoshall of the orphans' court says 'C. Y. S. K.' simply means 'consider yourself kissed,' but as the judge was not a witness the court had no opportunity of getting his expert testimony on the question, so it is without information, official or otherwise.

"Waltz is about 70 years old. Both he and Miss Wheeler live in the neighborhood of Arlington avenue. She says she was wooed and that there was a promise of marriage in October, 1905, but the date for the marriage was changed so often that she felt injured \$25,000 worth. Many points in her testimony will be disputed when Waltz takes the stand. In the meantime the court would like to know what 'C. Y. S. K.' means.

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Indian Summer.

Authorities differ as to the period of "Indian summer," and there are some whom deny there is such a thing at all, just as there are inconstant who deny the story of William Tell and the episode of Washington's hatchet. These doubting Thomases can be dismissed with contempt. Indian summer is too poetic an idea to be trampled out under the inconstant hoof. It is a verity that everybody believes in. Just when this charming climatic interval occurs is a doubt that adds to its mystic charm.

October, with its gorgeous days, is generally credited as the month in which Indian summer occurs, but in reality it is November that nature pauses in her round of seasons and presents to man that peculiar loveliness so entrancing to the senses, a loveliness and charm that have made Indian summer a popular romance. Indian summer is yet to come.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is now common for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of one or more organs. This applies and trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by drug stores, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlets telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.

Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y. on every bottle.

SUCCEEDS BROWN

On The Supreme Bench Does Attorney General William H. Moody.

The president has announced the appointment of Attorney General William Henry Moody, of Massachusetts as justice of the supreme court of the United States to succeed Justice Henry Billings Brown, who retired some time ago. Mr. Moody has filled the office of attorney general since July 1, 1904. Previous to that time he had served for more than two years as secretary of the navy. He had also represented his state in the 54, 55, 56 and 57 congresses.

Mr. Moody will retire from the department of justice the latter part of December.

Secretary of the Interior Ethan Allen Hitchcock will retire from the cabinet on March 4, and James R. Garfield, of Ohio, at present commissioner of corporations, will succeed him. Herbert Knox Smith, now assistant commissioner of corporations, will be appointed to Mr. Garfield's place. These changes and that of the retirement of commissioner Richards of the general land office on March 4 were announced in a statement from the White House recently. The statement says regarding Mr. Hitchcock:

"The secretary of the interior, Mr. Hitchcock, has informed the President that he would be unable to stay after March 4. Mr. Hitchcock has for sometime felt that the very exhausting work he has been engaged in for over eight years in the interior department was wearing on him so as to make it impossible for him much longer to remain. At the President's earnest request he consented to accept a reappointment on March 4, 1906, at the time of the President's inauguration. But he then stated that he could not say how long, he feels sure now he must insist that he be relieved March 4. The President urged him to accept the ambassadorship to France, but Mr. Hitchcock feels that he is entitled to absolute rest and was obliged to refuse the offer."

Mr. Smith has filled his position of assistant commissioner of corporations since August 15, 1903. He was appointed from Connecticut.

Need a good cathartic? A pill is best. Say a pill like DeWitt's Little Early Risers. About the most reliable on the market. Sold by all druggists.

Yes or No.

"Lawyers in their cross-examination have no right to browbeat innocent and well-intentioned witnesses," said Mayor Jones of Cleveland. "When a lawyer misconducts himself in this way, gets the worst of it, it is a good thing. It teaches him a lesson.

"An honest old gentleman was being cross-examined the other day in an Ohio court.

"'Was the defendant's tone, then angry?' said the cross-examining lawyer to him.

"'Well if it were not-' he began but the lawyer interrupted.

"'Come, come,' he said in the blustering tone that we all know. 'Come, come. We have had enough 'wells' and 'buts.' Give me a plain answer. Was his voice angry? Yes or no?'

"'Really,' said the witness, 'I can't in justice to all concerned, reply "yes" or "no" to such a question. Either answer would be misleading. You see, I—'

"'Don't you mean to say,' shouted the lawyer, 'that there is any question in the world to which a plain yes or no could be answered?'

"'I do,' said the old man quietly. 'Could you put such a question to me?'

"'I could.'

"'Do it, then. Do it at once, sir. I defy you to ask me a question that I can not answer such with a straightforward yes or no.'

"'The old gentleman leaned forward, and, smiling a little, he addressed the lawyer, slowly and deliberately, with these words:

"'Will you tell us whether in your own opinion—in your own opinion, mind you, for no one else can have any possible doubt upon the subject—will you tell us whether you are as big an idiot as you look?'

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Posted Her Lover.

An eccentric and very busy old gentleman, who firmly believes that

"time is money" and is a delay enemy of verbosity to any form, has a pretty daughter and the other day a young man who has been paying her a great deal of attention called on her father to know his fate.

It should be mentioned, says the London Tit-Bits, that the fair one had told her lover of her father's mania for terseness and dictation and implored him to be as laconic as possible when "asking papa," or he would stand no chance of success.

The young gentleman promised to use no superfluous language, and when he was ushered in to the old gentleman the latter, who evidently guessed his visitor's mission, took the initiative by saying:

"What daughter?"

"Yes," was the brief reply.

"Money?"

"Three hundred a year."

"Character?"

"All."

"Love her—on honor?"

"On honor."

"Be good to her?"

"Swear!"

"Have her!"

"Thanks!"

"Go."

"Gone!" exclaimed the elated young man, seizing his hat and rushing off.

To protect the little ones and for the information and satisfaction of mothers the contents of each bottle of that wonderful children remedy, Cascasweet, have been placed on every label. Cascasweet is a harmless compound of vegetable extracts that is wonderful in its beneficial effects on the stomachs of babies and children. Recommended and sold by all Druggists.

An Important Guest.

When Miss Phoebe Washington returned in her wedding finery to the house where she had reigned as cook for several years she announced briefly, relates the Youth's Companion that she had returned "fo' awhile," and seemed disinclined toward explanations until the next evening, when she unb burdened her heart to the mistress of the household.

"Nobody needn't ever go to tell me again dat thutteen ain't a terrible onlnky number, Miss Clemmy," she said gloomily. "I guess I knows how onlucky 'tis. Day was thutteen persons, Miss Clemmy, at my weddin' yest'day, and dat wedding nebber came off! all!"

"Why, Phoebe, how strange, how very strange!" And the lady looked most sympathetic. "But whatever happened," she said, Phoebe, the fact of there being thirteen persons at the wedding couldn't have had anything to do with it."

"Deed it did, Miss Clemmy." And Phoebe's face took on its most determined look. "Ain' you understood the fo'teenth pusson would 'a' been tritlin' Sam'l U's expecting to marry?"

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The properties have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any ease that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Take Halls Family Pills for constipation.

His Bargain.

"My Dear," said the thoughtful husband, entering the house with a huge package in his arms, "you remember last week when you secured such a wonderful bargain in shirts at 48 cents and neckties at three for a quarter for me?"

"Yes, love," says the fond wife.

"Well, don't think I didn't appreciate your thoughtfulness. See, I have bought something for you. I noticed some beautiful green and yellow plaid goods in a show window on my way home, and bought you 80 yards of it at 4 cents a yard. The clerk said it was a great bargain, and it makes enough dresses to last you two years. Why, she has faint

gentleman, who firmly believes that

WHISKEY AND CORSETS

Found in Possession of Negro Who is Charged with Breaking Into Freight Car.

[Owensboro Messenger.]

Loaded down with whiskey, corsets and suspenders, Joe Dixon, a negro, was arrested in Baptists town yesterday morning by officer Gilliams. Information had been received from Henderson that a freight car had been broken open and a quantity of whiskey and other goods, stolen, presumably by a negro who had boarded a train for Owensboro. The patrolmen were notified to be on the lookout and the result was that the negro was caught within an hour.

Dixon was locked up and the Henderson police notified. Chief Will H. Held came to Owensboro and took the negro back to Henderson. There is some doubt as to whether the negro is really named Dixon. Night Chief Nichols believes that he has located him in the rogue's gallery, and that he is wanted for a serious offense. The matter will be looked into.

The whiskey the negro stole was the property of the Rock Springs Distilling Company, of Owensboro, and was being shipped west.

Jilt's New Lover for Old.

Capt. Henry Huggins, of the United States signal corps, appeared in Indianapolis, after an absence of five years on the sea, just in time to find that his old sweetheart, Miss Bessie Thompson, was to be married in a few hours to W. C. Comette. She immediately telephoned Comette that she would not marry him, and arrangements with the returned lover began. Believing that the young woman was not serious in her announcement, Comette obtained a marriage license anyhow and informed his sweetheart of the fact shortly before noon, less than three hours before the ceremony was to have taken place. The young woman was steadfast in her determination to break the engagement, even at that late hour, however, and the word "void" was soon written in large letters upon one page of the marriage license book at the court house.

Sam Jones' Best Sayings.
God can't elect any man unless he is a candidate.

Sow little parties and reap big ones. Sow these and reap german's and from these reap spider-legged dudes, and from these you'll reap n half thimbleful of calves' foot jelly.

There is such a thing as the race running out in dudes, and God knows I am glad of it.

The most demoralizing and damning thing and the most insidious is the city club.

I have seen men converted from the barroom and from everything else, but never, never have I seen a man converted from a club.

I never saw a first-class billiard player who was worth the powder and lead that it would take to kill him.

What is a town woman but a country woman with Sunday clothes on?

I'd rather be dead than to be in fashion.

The more bent, smashed and warped the lady's hat is the more fashionable it is.

Shall I ask the little dudes and dudettes how to preach the gospel?

A little party is only a big one with short skirts on.

Doubts are but the children of sin.

Repentance is quitting your mean ness.

Infidelity is nine-tenth mouth.

Give your heart to God and he will comb the kinks out of your head.

A Mountain of Gold
could not bring as much happiness to Mrs. Lucia Wilke, of Caroline, Wis

TOBACCO SITUATION

Weed Scarce and Ought to Sell For Good Prices. Twenty Per Cent. Shortage in Crop of the Black Patch, as Compared With 1905.

[Clarksville Leaf Chronicle.]
The Government officials have been figuring on the world's tobacco supply, demand, etc. They find that the 1904 crop was 660,000,000 pounds. The 1905 crop was 633,000,000 pounds making the supply of these crops nearly 400,000,000 pounds short of the supply of the two previous years 1902 and 1903. The Kentucky commissioner of agriculture figures that the crops of the Black patch of this year—1906—is 20 per cent short of the 1905 crop.

Tobacco is evidently scarce and ought to sell for a good price. Japan has turned her attention to the tobacco of this country and comes in as a new consumer. According to reports Japan has already bought the entire crop of North Carolina and this is something to figure on. It is contended and argued from the stump by every spell-binder that it costs the farmers of this district 6 cents per pound to produce tobacco. This must be true, as tobacco growers are behind with their business, and farm lands declining in fertility.

Already 800 mortgages have been taken out in the county for advances on tobacco and the prospect is that this number of mortgages will increase to 2,000 before the first of January. This and similar conditions apparently exists in all our tobacco growing counties, and it is evident that the farmers are not making any profit on tobacco or else they are managing very badly and ought to change their methods to diversified farming, as we have advised. Raise more peas, sheep, hogs and poultry.

Have farmers been receiving cost of production for tobacco? They organized two years ago that they might co-operate and concentrate their tobacco and demand and force higher prices.

The result has been a change in this policy; scattered markets, secret selling, trying to force all tobacco at all points to sell at one and the same graded price. This policy has served the pin-hookers and the speculators well. Now, it is ascertained that the crop of 1904, after paying all expenses, sale, etc., brought a net average to the farmers of \$5.85 per hundred. The crop of 1905 sold this year brought an average to \$6. The 1906 crop now in the barns, considering the conditions of the general market, supply and demand should easily net the farmers an average of \$8.00 per hundred, selling from six to fifteen cents.

Where there is competition, there will be competition on open sales, and the competition fixes the value of tobacco according to the supply and demand, the farmers having no other way of ascertaining the value of tobacco. It has always been so, and always will be so, and farmers can only waste their time and means by following a will-o'-the-wisp.

Farmers, by organization, standing on high grounds and by principle, looking to co-operation and concentration forcing the market to its highest notch by drawing competition may greatly benefit their situation. But to reach the highest state of excellence, they must pay attention to diversified farming, regulating the tobacco production, and improving the land. These matters should be subjects of discussion in meeting.

The best treatment for indigestion and troubles of the stomach is to rest the stomach. It can be rested by starvation or by use of a good digestant which will digest the food eaten thus taking the work off the stomach. At the proper temperature, a single teaspoonful of Kodol will wholly digest 3,000 grains of food. It will relieve the present annoyance, put the stomach in shape to satisfactorily perform its functions. Good for indigestion, sour stomach, flatulence, palpitation of the heart and dyspepsia. Kodol is made in strict conformity with the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by all Druggists.

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A recent news telegram from Lewiston, Pa., says that many tons of eels have been taken from the Juniata river during the past few days. John Pennington, a cripple, from this city, placed an up-to-date eel basket in the river, 100 yards east of the Lewiston dam, and in

Habit-forming Medicines.

Whatever may be the fact as to many of the so-called patent medicines containing injurious ingredients as broadly indicated in some journals of more or less influence, the liability has certainly been of great benefit in arousing interest to this subject. It has in a considerable measure resulted in the most intelligent people avoiding such foods and medicines as may be fairly suspected of containing the injurious ingredients complained of. Recognizing this fact some time ago, Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y., "took up arms by the forelock," as it were, and publicly exposed all the ingredients of which the popular medicines are composed. Thus he has completely forestalled all harping critics and all opposition that might otherwise be urged against his medicines, because they are now or known composition.

Instead of alcohol, which even in small portions long continued, as in obstinate cases of disease, becomes highly objectionable from the tendency to a strong craving for stimulants. Dr. Pierce employs chemically pure, triple-refined glycerine, which of itself is a valuable remedy in many cases of chronic diseases, being a superior demulcent, antiseptic, antifever and supporting nutritive. It enhances the active action of the golden Seal root, Stone root, Black Cherry bark and Root, castor oil, black cohosh, bellflower, Indian Root, all bronchial, throat and lung affections attended with severe coughs. As will be seen from the writings of the eminent Drs. Grover Coe, of New York; Bartholow, of Jefferson Medical College, Phila.; Scudamore, of Cincinnati; Ellingwood, of Chicago; Hale, of Cheltenham, and others, who stand as leaders in their several schools of practice, the foregoing agents are the ones chosen by them. Dr. Pierce could have chosen to make up his famous "Discovery" for the cure of not only bronchial, throat and lung affections, but also of chronic catarrh in all its various forms wherever located.

One night he took 2,500 eels, weighing from one-half to five pounds each, from this basket. This is only one of the many baskets in the river.

The eels are put in boxes alive and kept well into the winter and sold for 12 to 15 cents a pound, and find a ready market.

At the Pennington camp there are fully two tons of eels, a wriggling, writhing mass, in the boxes.

Deaths from Appendicitis decreases in the same ratio that the use of Dr. King's New Life Pills increase. They save you from danger and bring quick and painless release from constipation and the ills growing out of it. Strength and vigor always follow their use. Guaranteed by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Druggist, 25c. Try them.

NEW MARSHAL

J. Wade Ament succeeds L. P. Bennett and is Competent Young Man.

[Owensboro Messenger.]

J. W. Ament, of Livermore, has been appointed United States Deputy Marshal for this district and has already entered upon the discharge of his duties.

He received his commission in Louisville Friday and at once started out on a swing around the district.

Last night he arrived in Owensboro with Shad Lewis, of color, said to be one of the most noted bootleggers in the district. He was arrested in Henderson county, where he is said to have been operating for some time.

Mr. Ament is a young man. He has had no previous experience as a peace officer, but is confident of his ability to handle the job. He succeeds Loyal P. Bennett, who resigned to go West. Mr. Bennett, will leave in a few days for Oklahoma where he will probably go on the road as a traveling salesman. He made a good record during the time he served as deputy marshal.

Vast Water-Powers.

[Manufacturers' Record, Baltimore.]

To its coal supply, more than twice as great as the combined coal areas of Great Britain, Germany and Pennsylvania; to its vast stores of oil and natural gas as supplementary sources of power, heat and light, the South adds at least 3,000,000 available horse-power and water-power for utilization for electrical transmission, also for power, heat and light. The development of this vast water power potentiality will eventually employ \$250,000,000 to \$3,000,000 and be equal in working capacity to 6,000,000 men. It will make possible construction of thousands of miles of interurban electric roads, it will furnish cheap power and light for mines and factories, and create, as in Switzerland the highest forms of skilled mechanical work in the mountains of the South, where climatic conditions are unsurpassed by any other section of the world. In counting the riches of the South always bear in mind its wealth of ever-running streams, where nature furnishes the power without price except for the cost of development.

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EXIT STENOGRAPHER.

New Machine Typewriter and Telephraphone.

It is Alleged That It Will Do the Work of the Pretty Office Girl.

Plans now under way will make it unnecessary for business men to depend upon private stenographers or typewriters. Central typewriting exchanges to which letters can be dictated over the telephone circuit and returned for signature in a few minutes, are to be established in large office buildings and hotels.

Such a scheme has been made practical by means of the telephraphone, which not only makes a perfect reproduction of the human voice, but also records everything that passes over the ordinary telephone. These records are stored upon a thin steel wire or disc and can be reproduced an indefinite number of times or removed when there is no further use for them.

Each of the central exchanges will have a number of telephraphones and a staff of typewriter experts and trained linguists. When the business man or the guest in a large hotel wishes to dictate, he will pick up the receiver of his telephone and ask to be connected with a telephraphone in the exchange. By means of a small switchboard, he will have complete control of the machine to which he is dictating in the exchange. If it should be necessary to make any changes in the letter a push button is pressed, which brings a pair of magnets, stronger than those which made the record, into contact with the wire and any part of the whole letter is immediately wiped out. In the same way records of dictated letters are wiped out as soon as transcribed, so that the machine is always ready for use at any time.

As soon as the dictation is finished the typewriter operator places the telephone sounder to his ears and transcribes the records which have been made, returning the letters to the office from which they were dictated. The matter transcribed might be in English, French, German or any other language. It might be legal, scientific or technical, full of difficult words and phrases which would tax even the most highly educated and expert stenographer to take down in short-hand with accuracy. When the central typewriting exchanges are established, telephraphones will enable busi-

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Antiquity of the Word "Snow."

Rameses II. died 4000 years ago, but some of the facts concerning his life are just becoming known. One of these is the story of his marriage, which has just been revealed by Prof. James H. Breasted, of the University of Chicago, in his first preliminary report of his expeditions among the temples along the Nile. He found the account of this event in the sun temple of Abu Simbel, which is one of the principal buildings erected by King Rameses. To tell the story it required an inscription of forty-one lines, each about eight feet long. Prof. Breasted reports that the word for "snow" is found here in snowless Egypt for the first time in human history.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce S. A. ANDERSON, of West Hartford, Precinct, a candidate for Representative in the General Assembly from this, the 26th district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

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We are authorized to announce W. W. PARK, of the 10th Precinct, a candidate for Representative in the General Assembly from this, the 26th district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

Examine the label on your paper, if it is not correct notify us.

NEXT is the Christmas present question.

OPEN season, for the payment of fool bets.

DOES Lieutenant Perry want to be the ice man?

CAP. NOEL GAINS' Crusader has ceased to crusade.

WHEN a Cuban cannot get an office, he becomes a revolutionist.

THE Republicans carried Pennsylvania, and the Democrats carried Texas.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL HAYS will be as a rose among the thorns, the rest of his term.

STILL, among many other things, Mr. Hearst may be thankful that it was no worse.

THE political boss who made the fewest predictions in this campaign, had to do the least explaining.

No one, as yet, has improved upon our suggestion of Judge W. H. Holt.

for the Republican nomination for they will most likely select their Governor.

If the machine actually got robbed in Louisville, it will go down in history as one of the accomplished impossibles.

It is a delicate subject, but we are compelled to inform our subscribers that, as yet, no thanksgiving turkeys are in sight for either editor.

SEVERAL prominent citizens have spoken in the highest complimentary terms of the excellent manner in which we handled the election returns last week, for which we are very grateful.

THE voters of Hartford have spoken in no uncertain tones on the sewerage and street question, and we have the utmost confidence in our present Mayor and City Council, to carry out their wishes.

THE decision by the Court of Appeals upon the re-districting cases is expected in a few days. The court is expected to hold the act unconstitutional, which will necessitate a special session of the Legislature to make a fair apportionment of the counties into legislative districts. This expense to the tax-payers of Kentucky is not chargeable to the Republicans, remember.

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THE Owensboro Messenger takes it to heart because John Langley, who once collected money for Caleb Powers, has been elected to Congress from Kentucky. Woodson will never die in this life until all those who were ever friends of Taylor or Powers are consigned to oblivion. He would also be glad to see Beckham and a few other friends of Goebel go along with them.

THE Republican nominee for Governor must be a man who measures up to the job. It will not do to content ourselves with a selection as good as the Democrat. The one whom we shall invite dissatisfied Democrats to support should be better than the one offered them by the Republicans. If it is to be merely a choice between rotten apples,

ping over the races in the primary, they were sowing in the votes for their candidates for Congress. They also, doubtless, made use of the opportunity to swap in some localities. A primary election should not be held on the general election day, and we doubt if it is ever done in Kentucky again. Many Democrats are announcing themselves opposed to the custom.

THE Hartford Herald is unable to understand the purport of our report of the Democratic primary, and jumps at the conclusion that we are not satisfied with the result of same. If the Herald is able to sit up and take notice, we wish to inform it that we had no choice or voice in the primary. But as a newspaper it was our inherent and unquestioned privilege, and our patrons expected us to report the primary as it was held, and the Herald's bombastic utterance, that the Democrats should have consulted The Republican before casting their ballots, is one of its customary feeble efforts to waive a discussion of a notorious matter, such as the high-handed prostitution of the ballot, termed the Democratic primary.

SLIM CHANCE FOR DEMOCRACY.

With complete election returns from the entire country at hand, a careful study will reveal no particular grounds for congratulation upon the part of Democracy. In the "off year" elections, the party in power always loses ground. Often being swept from power, so far as the elections can go. No one expected but what the Republicans would this year fall below the tremendous majorities returned two years ago in the Roosevelt landslide. The Democrats went into the campaign full of fight and making great claims. Upon Mr. Bryan's return he was greeted as the most popular living American. He was at once pressed into the Congressional campaign, and canvassed the country as though he was engaged in a Presidential campaign. He was greeted in the Legislature largely so. In this "off year" the Republicans have succeeded in electing a House of Representatives in many places, were scrap-

though the country might adopt his views. Evidently the voters heard and cheered Mr. Bryan and then for That House was composed of 206 the most part voted the Republican Republicans, 134 Democrats and 16 ticket. The result is to discredit Populists or Independents. Thus Mr. Bryan's Presidential boom in giving the Republicans 56 over all, advance, and the high hopes which Democracy was beginning to cherish, with him as their candidate, are giving away to deepest despair as the full effect of the election returns are manifested. The results show that with Bryan or with any other candidate for President, the Democrats cannot hope to capture a single State carried by Roosevelt, with the possible exception of Missouri, and the slim majority returned on the State ticket there, would make that result in Kentucky.

In the Senate, at that time, the vote stood 46 Republicans to 34 Democrats. The next Senate will be at least two-thirds Republican.

Something may happen to change the minds of the voters between now and 1908, to give the Democrats a chance to start in the great Presidential race, but at present, in the light of recent election returns, theirs looks like a forlorn hope.

Horses For Sale.

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LUDICROUS LEGAL LORE.

A Legend of the Early Jurisprudence of Michigan.

The early history of the jurisprudence of Michigan, if faithfully chronicled, would furnish forth an entertainment abounding with the soul and point of humor. Many of these little legends yet float around the scenes which have given birth to them and serve sometimes to give zest to a bar dinner or to enliven a bar meeting. Among them is the following:

Judge B., a plain and worthy man, but no lawyer, was once county judge of Oakland under the old system. A case came on for trial before him on one occasion in which the action was founded in tort, and the plea of the defendant, which was special, was such as to give him the affirmative of the issue, upon the strength of which he claimed the right to open and close the case. This point was denied by the counsel for the plaintiff, "who never in the whole course of his practice had heard of such an enormity as the defendant's presuming to open the case." Authorities were brought and cited, however, and the judge, after mature consideration, determined that such was the defendant's right and so pronounced his decision. After a short pause, during which the plaintiff was grumbling his dissatisfaction, the court told the defendant's lawyer to go on.

"Your honor," said he, rising, "I am not quite ready to open the case. When I get ready I will let the other side know!" This opened, if not the case, at least the eyes and mouth of the other side, who sprang to his feet and bellowed forth denunciation upon the stupidity of the judge, whose absurd decision had placed him in such a dilemma. "You see, your honor, what you have done. You have actually placed the case in the hands of the defendant. He took possession of our oxen, and when we brought an action to recover them he took possession of that also." "I can't help it, sir," said the learned judge, with great sternness. "The decision is made, and it is too late to alter it. The law must take its course. You must withdraw your action and sue again."

"If he does, your honor," said the defendant's counsel, "I shall plead the pendency of this action in bar and beat him." "Then, Mr. —," said the judge, "I see no other way for you but to sit down quietly and wait till the defendant gets ready to try this case." The plaintiff took the judge's advice, but the "time appointed" has never elapsed, and he is waiting yet. — Philadelphia North American.

A Surprised Preacher.

When a clergyman in the course of his sermon asks a question he doesn't expect any one to answer it. At a watch night service at St. Paul's church, Brixton, England, the vicar was preaching a sermon on the prodigal son, in the course of which he said: "Last year some people came to watch night service from a neighboring public house, and some of them were drunk. Is there any one here like that tonight?"

"Yes," said a respectable looking man seated in the aisle; "I'm here, and I'm drunk."

The effect on the congregation was electrical. The preacher was startled for a moment, but after saying, "Poor fellow, poor fellow!" proceeded with his discourse.

"I tell you I'm drunk," said the intruder.

"Hold your tongue," said the vicar. "I am speaking now and must not be interrupted."

Many Languages of Buenos Ayres.

There are few cities in the world having more newspapers of varied tongues than Buenos Ayres. Altogether the number of dailies, weeklies, monthlies and irregulars published in the republic fluctuates about 180. Besides, of course, the "national" language, with its wide divergencies from Spanish, there are papers published in Castilian, in Catalan, in Italian, French, German and English, in Basque, in Norwegian and in Danish, in Arabic, Syrian, Hebrew, Serbian and in several dialects, while in the Chubut territory the Welsh organ has a considerable sale and influence.—Buenos Ayres Herald.

"Long Ed's" Outfit.

When it was noiseid about Seymour that "Long Ed" Ayres was going to marry Cora Black one of the summer residents thought to have some fun with him.

"Are you going to get married, Ed?"

"That's what Cora says."

"Well, I suppose you've made all the preparations—got your trousers ready?"

"Long Ed" did not balk at the unusual word, as was expected.

"Yep," he returned; "Aunt Lize the laundress—Sunday coat and put

a new collar on't, and I've had my shoes tapped."—Youth's Companion.

Quite a Difference.

"Mary," said a lady to her servant, "I strongly object to your copying Miss Lucy in your dress."

"In what way do I copy her?" asked the cook haughtily.

"Why, the hat you wore yesterday is, I notice, exactly like my daughter's new hat."

"Excuse me, ma'am, it isn't. The feather in my hat is real ostrich, but Miss Lucy's is only imitation!"—London Telegraph.

A Fine Piece of Work.

"I tell you," exclaimed the young medical student, "our professor is an eminent surgeon."

"How's that?" asked his chum.

"Well, a fellow was brought in with a crushed leg. The professor said it must come off, but by some means or other he cut off the wrong leg."

"Do you call that a fine piece of surgery?"

"Wait a bit. The professor said it would be terrible for the poor fellow to go about with no legs at all, so he splinted up the crushed leg instead of cutting that off, too, and now it is as good as ever. An ordinary surgeon would have left the fellow legless. Wonderful skill, the professor's!"—Strand Magazine.

Not His Fault.

"James," asked the druggist sternly, "how did you come to lose that sale?"

"We didn't have what the lady wanted, sir."

"Why, you know we carry the most complete line of perfumery, knickknacks, stationery, toilet accessories and fancy articles in the city."

"Yes, sir, but it was medicine she wanted."—Great Falls Tribune.

INVALID HEROES.

Great Men Who Did Great Things In Spite of Infirmity.

A record of the magnificent courage of the world's invalid heroes is Sophia P. Shaler's book, "The Masters of Fate." One of these heroes was Green, the English historian, who could sign himself, "Faithfully (feebly, weakly, dizzily, mopey, faintly, dreamily, dully), J. R. Green." Another was Robert Louis Stevenson, who wrote, "I am about knocked out of time now; a miserable, sniffling, shivering, fever stricken, nightmare ridden, knee tottering, hoast-hoast-hoasting shadow and remains of a man." "But," continues Stevenson, "the medicine bottles on my chimney and the blood on my handkerchief are accidents. They do not color my view of life." It was an octogenarian United States senator who, when asked for rules for longevity, replied, "Acquire a chronic ailment in youth, and nurse yourself through life—and work." Kant furnishes a lesson of this kind. Although the great metaphysician was never entirely well, he performed a prodigious amount of intellectual work and lived to be eighty years of age. "He obtained such control over his discomfiture," writes Mrs. Shaler, "that when suffering from pain in his head he could concentrate his mind so perfectly on a chosen subject that the pain was treated as if it did not exist. By sheer force of will he would also overcome sleeplessness, caused by rheumatic attacks. That these, he says, were not imaginary pains was proved by the glowing redness which was seen the next morning on the toes of my left foot."

That pitiful account which Johnson gives of Pope's physical condition rests upon the authority of an old servant of Lord Oxford, who knew him after middle age. "He was then so weak as to stand in perpetual need of attendance. He was extremely sensitive to cold, so that he wore a kind of fur doublet under a shirt of coarse, warm linen, with fine sleeves. When he arose he was invested in bodies made of stiff canvas, being scarcely able to hold himself erect till they were laced, and then he put on a flannel waistcoat. One side of his body was contracted. His legs were so slender that he enlarged their bulk with two pairs of stockings."

Great soldiers have borne afflictions they could neither overcome nor avoid. "Some of the world's foremost commanders—Julius Caesar, Napoleon, the Duke of Wellington and Archduke Charles of Austria—appear to have been epileptics. At the battle of Wagram the archduke, it is said, had a seizure which lasted about an hour. It was then that Napoleon gained the ascendancy. At the critical moment the fate of two great armies was in the hands of two epileptics. Cannibales, the conqueror of Egypt; Alfred the Great and two of the greatest poets of Europe—Tasso and Byron—were subject to this disease, as was also the prophet Mohammed."

THE EARTH'S CRUST.

Its Rigidity is About Equal to That of Granite.

Professor T. J. J. See of the United States navy has investigated the rigidity of the earth by mathematical processes depending on the theory of gravitation. He found that, even if fluid, the globe would have a rigidity greater than that of wrought iron, owing to the tremendous weight. The earth's matter under this great pressure acts as a solid and so vibrates in an earthquake, and the average rigidity of the whole mass is nearly equal to that of nickel steel. Nickel steel is one of the strongest and hardest metals known. The globe is thus proved to be capable of withstanding enormous strain. Dr. See proves that the rigidity of the earth's crust is about equal to that of granite, which is one-sixth that of steel, and that toward the center the rigidity rapidly increases. At the earth's center the imprisoned matter is at an enormously high temperature, yet under the great pressure there at work it is kept three times more rigid than the nickel steel used in the armor of a battleship.

This method has been applied also to the other planets. It turns out that the rigidity of Venus is greater than that of platinum and probably about identical with that of wrought iron. The rigidity of Mars is about equal to that of gold, while the rigidity of Mercury, the moon and other satellites is about equal to that of glass. The average rigidity of the great planets—Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune—lies between eighteen and three times that of nickel steel. The great rigidity of these bodies is due to the great pressure acting throughout such large masses.

In the case of the sun the result is still more extreme. The average rigidity of all the sun's layers is over 2,000 times that of nickel steel. This result shows the effect of gravity in compressing and hardening a mass even when it is self-luminous and at enormously high temperature.—Chicago News.

First Balloon Ascent.

The first public ascent by the Montgolfier balloon was made June 5, 1783. It was a spherical bag, consisting of pieces of linen buttoned together, suspended from cross poles. A fire was kindled under it, and the flames were fed with bundles of chopped straw. The loose bag filled out, assumed a graceful form and in a short time was completely distended. At a given signal the stays were slipped, and the balloon instantly ascended. Its velocity accelerated until it reached some height, then became uniform and carried it to an elevation of more than a mile. For ten minutes it remained suspended, then fell gently in a vineyard nearly two miles distant from the place of its ascension. The first adventurers to make an ascent in a balloon were M. Pilatre de Rozier and the Marquis L'Arlandes. In the basket of a balloon they on Nov. 21, 1783, rose to a height of about 3,000 feet.

The Domestic Problem.

"I once lost an Irish servant," remarked a German lady who was relating the trouble she had in keeping domestics, "because I could not convince her that 'mick' is a German name for a fly. One day my little baby daughter was seated in a chair near a window which opened on the piazza, where Bridget was at work. The window was closed, and a number of flies were busy bumping their heads against the panes in an endeavor to escape to the outside. They attracted baby's attention, who called out to me to look at them, at the same time saying, 'Mick, mick, mick.' Just then Bridget turned to speak to the baby and heard these words. And even today Bridget is firmly convinced that I instructed the baby to make fun of her!"—New York Herald.

Cannibalism.

The word "cannibalism" is really the name of a people. It is identical with Carib, many of the Carib, who formerly flourished in the West Indies, having been consumers of human flesh. The letters "i," "n" and "r" are interchangeable in certain aboriginal American languages, so that Columbus found one West Indian island saying "Cannib," where another said "Carib," while Shakespeare's Caliban is another variety of the same.

The Word "Impertinent."

Originally the word "impertinent" signified merely "not belonging to." When Wydiffe said that

there were many men in this world who were "impudent to earthly lords" he did not mean that they were "cheeky," but merely that they had no masters. Then, as used by Shakespeare, "impudent" came to mean "irrelevant." Just 200 years ago it was defined as signifying "absurd, silly, idle."

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[Bellington "Hawk-Eye."]

A vast amount of nonsense has been printed about American manufacturers selling their products cheaper abroad than at home. It probably has not occurred to superficial thinkers that that is just what the American farmer is doing when he exports his grain or other farm products. The same superficial way of thinking would impulsively point to Liverpool quotations as evidence to the contrary, because prices are higher on American cereals, for instance, in Liverpool than in Chicago. But the Liverpool quotation is not the farmer's price; he does not get it. The Liverpool price is the price paid the farmer, plus elevator charges, commissions and railway transportation to the sea coast, plus more elevator and switching charges, and the cost, ocean freightage and handling at Liverpool. All this work is not being done for nothing, and it costs money to land the grain 4,000 to 6,000 miles distant from the field where it was produced.

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"Riding at an easy trot over the dry grass," he writes, "I observed a spider pursuing me, leaping swiftly along and keeping up with my

beast. I aimed a blow with my whip and the point of the lash struck the ground close to it, when it instantly leaped upon and ran up the lash, and was actually within three or four inches of my hand when I flung the whip from me."

Studying Flowers With X-Ray.

The application of the X-rays to the study of phenomena invisible without their aid continually increase in number. Some of the results are curious rather than useful, but substantial additions to knowledge are being made in this way. One of the latest scientific uses found for the rays is in revealing the inner structure of flowers and fruit buds. In some respects this is a better method than dissecting for the study of certain parts of plant.

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Artless People.

[The Hystander.]

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Insurance Department of Kentucky.

Frankfort, Aug. 13th, 1906.

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In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused my official Seal to be affixed on the day and year first above written.

HENRY R. PREWITT,

Insurance Commissioner.

A Duel that Was Never Fought.

[The Courier-Journal.]

Apropos of the duel between Gen. Andre and Gen. Negrier, Parisians are recalling the effective manner in which a statesman of long ago replied to the challenge of an illiterate bully. The statesman responded with the following letter:

"Dear Sir—You have called me out without any good reason. I have therefore the choice of weapons. I choose the spelling book and you are a dead man."

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Deterioration of Cement.

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The Chinese are said to have found a way to make the mussel produce pearls to order. Five or six small beads of mother-of-pearl strung on a string are dropped at a proper season in the mouth of the mussel. Two years later the mussel, when recovered, is made to disgorge the beads, now covered with a pearl crust indistinguishable from the naturally made pearl.



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